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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Before examination of the above referenced application, kindly ~~enter~~ the following amendment.

~~Cancel~~ claims 1-23.

Add new claims 24-43.

24. A method of providing information based on user comprehension characteristics of a user, the method comprising:
 receiving data related to one or more comprehension characteristics of the user;
 selecting a message from a plurality of messages based upon the received data related to one or more comprehension characteristics, wherein the plurality of messages include a first message that corresponds to a first data related to a first set of comprehension characteristics and a second message that corresponds to a second data related to a second set of comprehension characteristics; and
 providing the message.

25. The method of claim 24 wherein a first computer provides the message, and wherein the method further comprises transmitting the message to a second computer.

26. The method of claim 24, wherein the one or more comprehension characteristics comprise user technical proficiency.

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